

PENSACOLA has a Depth of 33 Feet of Water in the Channel at the Entrance of the Harbor.

BOERS ATTACK
COL. BROADWOODGet Capture a Number of His
Men and Guns.Advanced Estimates His Losses at
250 Men, Including 200 Missing—
Artillery Horses Shot Down—Gen.
French With Two Cavalry Reg-
iments Goes to the Rescue.PENSACOLA, April 2.—The war office
here has received reports that Col. Broadwood
was captured by the Boers yesterday and
a number of guns and a lot of
ammunition were captured.A dispatch from Lord Roberts
states that Col. Broadwood, who was
captured by the Boers Saturday night,
was used by the ninth division and
the Boers, was told that if
necessary, he should re-
sist.A dispatch yesterday the Boers at-
tacked him on three sides and he
was forced to retire, in doing
which he crossed a deep nullah, in
which the Boers, unknown to him,
concealed themselves.As his men were passing the drift
the Boers fired at short range and
sent down a number of artillery
horses, the remainder galloping
away to cover, leaving the guns,
which were captured by the Boers.
Col. Broadwood estimates his loss
at 250, including 200 men missing.Hearing that Col. Broadwood was
captured, Lord Roberts sent
two regiments to follow and support
the ninth division.These meager details are all that
are known through and it is not
known whether the Boers are fol-
lowing up their victory or not.The scene of the British disaster
seems to have been at Maelder
fontein, where the Bloemfontein road
crosses a tributary of the Modder
river.It is believed that a big engage-
ment is now in progress.The Chronicle's correspondent at
Bloemfontein telegraphs that Broad-
wood's guns have been recaptured,
and that the water supply of Bloem-
fontein has been cut off. The war
office has no confirmation of either
report.Captain Holdane and Lieutenant
Lousuriet have escaped from Pretoria
and have arrived at Lorenzo
Burges after an exciting and perilous
journey.

Russia's Korean Demand

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 2.—It is
announced that Russia is satisfied
with the port's acceptance of her
demands for railway concessions in
Korea.YOKOHAMA, April 2.—It is now
known that Korea firmly resisted the
Russian demands for land at Masan-
po. Russia then withdrew this de-
mand and substituted a request for
a piece of ground within the foreign
settlement at Masanpo, which was
granted. The question is now con-
sidered settled.

The Miners' Strike

PITTSBURGH, April 2.—Owing to
dissatisfaction over the wage scale,
2,000 miners refused to go to work
this morning. Ten thousand more
will join the strikers to-morrow.
This will practically close every
mine in the district.

Taylorites Defiant

FRANKFORT, April 2.—The Tay-
lor people are again defying the
officers. A deputy sheriff was
detained this morning to serve war-
rants.

A Drop in Cotton.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Cotton is
quoted today as follows: April, 9.05;
May, 9.04; June, 8.99; July, 8.94;
August, 8.91; September, 8.83.

Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism

RENNA, Jackson Co., W. Va.
About three years ago my wife
was attacked by rheumatism which
confined her to her bed for a month
and rendered her unable to walk a
step without assistance. Her limbs
were swollen to double their normal
size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my
using Chamberlain's Pain Balm.
I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and
applied it according to the directions.
The next morning she walked to
the post without assistance in any
direction, and she has not had a sim-
ilar attack since.—A. B. PATTERSON,
Rennas, by Hannah Brown, 21 South
Fourth street.Go to P. W. Smith's for
photos of the war ships, 7
S. Palafax, Alpha Phar-
macy.

Your Credit is Good

Everything in our house. We have
a large assortment of Couches, Bed
Frames, Toilet Sets and Bedroom
Suits. From Bedsteads at \$1 up.
O. M. PRYOR'S
Furniture House.Go to P. W. Smith's for
photos of the war ships, 7
S. Palafax, Alpha Phar-
macy.

HE HAD CHANGED HIS MIND.

Unprecedented Conduct of a Juror In
North Carolina.RALEIGH, March 31.—In the superior
court here Tom Jones, alias Farrar, a
negro, was sentenced to be hanged pri-
vately on May 11 for murdering and
burning Ella Jones and five of her chil-
dren, one of them his own. The trial
was sensational, but the conclusion yet
uncertain. The jury took the case and
after being out a short time notified the
court it had agreed. It was known its
decision was Jones must hang. When
the jury entered the courtroom and its
foreman declared it had agreed on a ver-
dict the counsel had it pulled and one man
answered that since he had entered the
courtroom he had changed his mind and
thought Jones guilty of murder in the
second degree. This occurrence is un-
precedented in the state. The judge
sent the jury out. In an hour it re-
turned and was again pulled. This time
all the jurors answered that their ver-
dict was murder in the first degree.

Largest Sail Vessel Afloat.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The four-
masted British steel bark Somali,
the largest sailing vessel afloat, has
arrived from Rio Janeiro with a car-
go of 82,169 bags of coffee. This is
the largest cargo of coffee ever re-
ceived at any port from a sailing
vessel.

Webster Davis Resigns

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Webster
Davis, assistant secretary of the in-
terior, who recently returned from
a visit to South Africa, tendered his
resignation to-day. He will lecture
in the interest of the Boers.

Yarn Mill For Hampton.

HAMPTON, Ga., March 31.—A \$60,000
yarn mill has been organized at this
place with home capital, all of which
has been subscribed. At a recent meet-
ing of the stockholders Mr. A. J. Hen-
derson was elected president. It is the
purpose of the directors to have the mill
in operation as soon as possible. Ham-
pton also has a knitting mill, two large
gineries, one carriage factory, a grist
mill, guano factory, sawmill and other
small industries.

Bryan Has Resigned.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—Vice President
and General Manager E. P. Ryan of the
St. Louis Terminal association has ten-
dered his resignation to accept the po-
sition of general manager of the New
York Rapid Transit Subway company.
He tendered him under a contract for a
term of five years at a salary of \$20,000
per annum. It is stated W. S. McHenry,
Jr., superintendent of the Louisville and
Nashville terminals in this city, will be
appointed his successor.

Held For Infanticide.

LEESBURG, Ala., March 31.—The dead
body of a young negro infant has been
found in an old well near Fort Payne.
A string was found tightly drawn around
its neck and the body was partially cov-
ered up with dirt and mud. Indications
point to the parents of the child as its
murderers, and the mother, Nan Dun-
man, who has been arrested, swears that
the father, Tony Garret, carried the
child away soon after its birth, and she
is sure he killed it.

Capital Stock Increased.

ATLANTA, March 31.—The capital stock
of the Midville, Swainsboro and Red
Bluff railroad has been increased to \$2,-
392,000. At the same time the name of
the road was changed to the Atlantic
and Gulf Line railroad. At the present
time the line runs from Midville to
Swainsboro, but recently the company
obtained the right to build from Au-
gusta to the Florida line in Lowndes and
Thomas counties. The work of con-
structing the line from Augusta to the
Florida line will begin at once, it is
claimed.

Ships Coaling at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—One of the
most interesting features of the great in-
crease in the local demand for coal has
been a change in the unusual practice of
European steamers in regard to taking
on their full supply. Heretofore they
have been accustomed, almost without
exception, to load enough coal at the
European side to last for the trip to this
port and back again. They are now re-
versing the process and are coaling here
for both ways, greatly to the advantage
of the home trade.

Killed In a Collision.

OAKLA, Fla., March 31.—As the train
from Ocala to Homosassa approached
Gulf Junction, 1 mile south of Dunel-
lon last evening it met northbound
construction train. Both were going
fast. J. N. Benton, engineer of the Ho-
mosassa train, had a foot crushed and
his back strained. C. D. Conroy of
Americus, Ga., Benton's brother-in-law,
who was riding on the same engine, was
fatally injured and died in an hour.
Both engines were smashed.

Pana Has Surrendered.

MANILA, March 31.—The Chinese gen-
eral Pana, who has been terrorizing and
devastating the province of Panay, has
surrendered at Legaspi to Brigadier Gen-
eral Kobbe, who is bringing him to this
place.

Fire In San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—The Yos-
emite Flour mill, California Italian
Paste company and Custom Grain and
Feed company and several dwellings
burned early today. Loss estimated at
\$100,000.BOTH APPOINTED
COMMANDER-IN-CHIEFHe Succeeds to the Position
Held by Joubert.

BRITISH LOSS AT KARSINE

Roberts' List of Casualties Shows a
Heavy Increase Over First Reports.
Boers Leaving Brantfort—Mafeking
Reports All Well.LONDON, March 31.—A dispatch from
Pretoria says General Louis Botha has
been appointed to succeed General Joubert
as commander-in-chief of the Transvaal
forces.The war office has posted the follow-
ing from Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfont-
ein, March 30, evening:"Reports point to the enemy's leaving
Brantfort and proceeding in a northerly
direction. The casualties of yesterday's
engagement were more numerous than
at first reported."Officers killed, 2; wounded, 8; rank
and file killed, 10; wounded, 159; miss-
ing, 3."Even the details of the engagement at
Karsine Station, a few miles south of
Brantfort, fail to instill much interest.
It appears to have been a one-sided affair,
although the Boers stoutly held their
ground against a force three or four
times their size for three hours, when,
foreseeing the danger of the British cav-
alry enveloping their flanks, the burghers
withdrew in good order on their
main body at Brantfort, which, accord-
ing to Lord Roberts, they seem later to
have decided to relinquish with the
view, doubtless, of occupying a prepared
position further north.There will probably be a general shift-
ing of camps on the part of the British,
the new situation being made the basis
of a further advance as soon as the rail-
road is repaired.Lord Roberts has reported to the war
office that he had received news from
Colonel Baden-Powell at Mafeking up to
March 10, when the general health of
the garrison was good, the locally made
gun, searchlight and ammunition were
working well, the food was holding out
well and the paper currency which the
British commander had issued was sat-
isfactory.From Cape Town it is reported that
President Steyn has gone to Pretoria,
after, according to refugees, issuing an
order that all British burghers refusing
to join the Boer armies shall be shot.
The story of the refugees, however, is
not always reliable. The news from
Lordsburg is meagre.Advices from Eronstadt, Orange-Free
State, say General Smuts has engaged
the British south of Brantfort at Mafek-
ing, and held them at bay for six hours.
The burghers fought well. The casual-
ties are unknown.

QUEEN'S VISIT TO IRELAND.

Everything Is Ready For Her Majes-
ty's Departure.LONDON, March 31.—The life guards,
cavalry, carriages, pots and pans and
other royal paraphernalia have already
gone to the Emerald Isle, which eagerly
awaits Queen Victoria.How her majesty will be received and
the prospect of her doings in Dublin
have quite overshadowed all other topics,
even to a week which has been marked
by the annual inter-varsity boat races,
the resignation of the Duke of Norfolk
as postmaster general, the announce-
ment of the Delagoa railroad award and
the rumors of possible war in the far
east.

Railroad Ordered Sold.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 31.—An
order involving the final disposition of
the last remaining portion of the Jack-
sonville, Tampa and Key West railroad
in the hands of the United States court,
through its receiver, J. H. Durkee, has
been entered by Judge Locke. Two di-
visions of the railroad were sold under
order of the court last April, leaving in
the hands of Receiver Durkee the San-
ford and Eustis branch. The order was
in the case of the Pennsylvania company
for Insurance on Lives and Granting
Annuities against the Jacksonville,
Tampa and Key West Railway company
and others.

Chicago Theater Burned.

CHICAGO, March 31.—The Columbia
theater, one of the oldest and most popu-
lar playhouses in the city, was destroyed
by fire last afternoon, entailing a total
loss of \$180,000. Several people were
injured in escaping from the building.

Colorado Populists.

DENVER, March 31.—A call has been
issued for a state convention of the Popu-
list party at Florence, April 15, for a
selection of 58 delegates to attend the na-
tional convention at Sioux Falls, S. D.,
May 9.

HOSTETTER'S
CELEBRATED
BITTERS

Digested food
makes rich blood
— promotes food
— fortifies system
— and from this
— springs
Constipation,
Dyspepsia and
Liver Trouble.
The Bitters will
help to digest
your food, and
thus create
healthy, active
blood. It's an
excellent spring
tonic.

REUNION OF BLUE AND GRAY.

Veterans of Civil War to Meet on
Shiloh Battlefield.MEMPHIS, March 31.—The forthcom-
ing reunion of the veterans of the blue
and gray, to be held on the battlefield of
Shiloh April 6 and 7 next, gives sub-
stantial promise of being one of the most
fraternal and cordial gatherings of the
surviving veterans of the great struggle
between the north and south that has
ever taken place in the country. Pre-
parations for the event are being rapidly
put in shape by the committee of ar-
rangements and it is expected that the
most notable survivors of the war from
all parts of the country will be on hand.The occasion will be primarily for the
purpose of celebrating the anniversary
of the bloody battle that occurred on the
field of Shiloh and incidentally for the
purpose of gathering together as many
of the living participants in that fight,
with a view to locating the positions of
the various commands that fought on
both sides in order that suitable marks
and monuments commemorative of the
heroic deeds of arms there enacted may
be set up by the Shiloh Military park
commissioners appointed by the govern-
ment of the United States.

PECULIAR CASE IN COURT.

Boston Judge Holds Sunday Marriage
Contracts Are Valid.BOSTON, March 31.—Judge Rich-
ardson, in a breach of promise case, has
just ruled that a Sunday night contract
of marriage is not void under the gen-
eral Sunday law."In view," he says, "of what common
knowledge shows what has been done
on Sundays and Sunday evenings in re-
sponse to contracts of marriage, I should
doubt very much if it was generally
thought that an engagement which was
made on Sunday was void. In the part
of the country where my youth was
passed, though it may have been only a
pleasant delusion, we used to think that
such engagements were among the things
that Sunday, and especially Sunday
evening, was instituted for."

ARRESTED IN CHATTANOOGA

Gang of Crooks Charged With Many
Crimes Captured.CHATTANOOGA, March 31.—The local
police authorities have arrested a gang
of crooks, among the number being
Frank Duncan, John D. West and
Thomas Hay, identified by officers from
Birmingham as the men who have been
engaged in wholesale robbery, safe-blow-
ing and murder near that city for sev-
eral months. Early in February the
gang entered and robbed the postoffice
at Perry, Ga., getting \$4,000 in money
and stamps. On the night of March 15
they entered the safes of the postoffice
at Avondale and Woodlawn. They also
robbed the office at Elyton, getting \$300.
Later they robbed the office of the Stand-
ard Oil company, in the heart of Bir-
mingham.Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will give immediate
relief to a child suffering with the dread-
ful cough. Mothers keep this reliable med-
icine always handy and it will save you
many uneasy hours. It costs but 25 cts.

THE ANTI-FUSION POPULISTS

They Protest Against Call For Conven-
tion at Sioux Falls.OMAHA, March 31.—The executive
committee of the anti-fusion Populist
party has issued an appeal to the people
protesting against the validity of the
call for the Sioux Falls national conven-
tion and notifying all Populists that only
those who recognize the Cincinnati con-
vention will be countenanced in party
councils during the campaign.The court have sustained the conten-
tion of the anti-fusion faction of the Peo-
ple's Party Populist club to its sole right
to that title.

Were Married by a Negro.

SAVANNAH, March 31.—An incident is
reported from the court of ordinary that
has not been equaled in the history of
Chatham county. On Feb. 25 last a mar-
riage certificate was issued by Judge
Perrell for a white couple, who stated
that they resided in Chatham county.
Rev. I. Miller, a negro minister, called
at the courthouse and filed his returns
certifying that he had married the
couple on March 18.

Lunatic Shoots Three Men.

CINCINNATI, March 31.—In a fit of
temporary insanity, William Gard, aged
23 years, shot three men and then killed
himself. E. Miller of Madisonville was
shot in the head and fatally injured.
Thomas Waldron was shot through the
nose and John Guthrie was shot
through the shoulder. Gard then fled
to the home of his mother and shot him-
self, dying instantly.

Masons to Meet at Macon.

MACON, March 31.—The grand chapter
of Royal Arch Masons will meet in this
city on April 25 and will remain in ses-
sion for several days. It will be the an-
nual meeting of this body. Secretary
William states he expects over 200 dele-
gates. There are a number of important
matters which are to come up before the
grand chapter.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but Skin Eruptions rob
life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve,
cures them; also Old, Running and
Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons,
Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns,
Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains,
Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out
Pains and Aches. Only 25 cts a
box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W.
A. D'Alemberte.EX-SENATOR GIBSON
OF MARYLAND DEADHe Died Suddenly at the Home
of His Brother.

HEART FAILURE THE CAUSE

Had Been In Bad Health For Some
Time—Spent Evening at His Club
and Was Taken Suddenly Ill Upon His
Return Home.WASHINGTON, March 31.—Ex-Senator
C. H. Gibson of Maryland died at 2
o'clock this morning from heart disease
at the residence of his brother, Lieuten-
ant Gibson of the navy, in this city,
where he had resided since his retire-
ment from the senate.Last night he visited the Metropolitan
club and went to his home about 10
o'clock. He complained of feeling un-
well, but as he had not been in good
health for some time this did not cause
any alarm. His condition grew worse
and at 12 o'clock a physician was called.
He sank steadily and died two hours
later. He leaves a widow, but no chil-
dren.The remains will probably be taken to
Monticello, Md., and interred by the
side of his father.Charles Hopper Gibson was born in
Queen Anne county, Md., 57 years ago;
graduated from Washington college,
Chesertown, and was admitted to the
bar in 1884, was elected state attorney for
Talbot county and held office three
successive terms; was elected as a Dem-
ocrat to the Forty-ninth, Fiftieth and
Fifty-first congress and was appointed
United States senator to fill a vacancy
caused by the death of E. K. Wilson, taking his
seat in 1891. He was elected to fill the
unexpired term Jan. 1, 1892.

SLOAN WAS BADLY BEATEN.

Lord Durham's Osbeck Wins the Liver-
pool Cup.LIVERPOOL, March 31.—The Liverpool
spring cup, run the third day of the
Liverpool spring meeting, was won by
Lord Durham's Osbeck.Luchford, ridden by J. Reiff, was sec-
ond and Squire Jackaws third. Seven
horses ran.Sly Fox, ridden by Sloan, was un-
placed, although he was in the lead un-
til fairly in line for home, when at that
point Osbeck drew in front and won
easily by five lengths. The same dis-
tance separated the second and third
horses.The Liverpool spring cup is of 1,000
sovereigns (50 sovereigns in plate or the
whole in specie, at the winner's option),
a handicap for the year olds and upward,
Distance, 1 mile and 3 furlongs.Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at once for
croup, whooping cough, etc. It has stood the
test and is positively a reliable remedy.
Life is too short to experiment with new
so-called "cure cures." Bull's Cough Syrup
costs but 25 cts.

2,000 MINERS ON STRIKE.

Operators Refused to Accede to Their
Demands For Higher Wages.BEAVER DAM, Ky., March 31.—The
miners' and operators' convention ad-
journed last night since die without
reaching an agreement.This morning a strike occurred and
affects all miners in Mahlenburg, But-
ler, McLean, Ohio, Union and Webster
counties and will throw out 2,000 men.
The miners wanted 80 cents a ton for
picked coal, while the operators offered
only 75 cents. The miners also wanted
a 20 per cent raise on all day labor, while
the operators would give only 12 1/2 per
cent.

Strange Disease In Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 31.—Dr.
W. H. Sanders, the state health officer,
has received notice of the appearance of
a strange disease in Elmore county, and
he has gone there to thoroughly investi-
gate it. It is said to resemble pneumo-
nia and is something like cerebro-spinal
meningitis. Three members of one fam-
ily have died from the effects of the dis-
ease, and there is much excitement in
the neighborhood.


Captain Evans Returns.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Captain
Robley D. Evans of the lighthouse board
has returned to the city from a visit to
Cuba. He recently had a severe attack
of rheumatism and though still suffer-
ing from that malady, is very much im-
proved in health.

Phoenicia Brings Immigrants.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Ham-
burg-American line steamship Phoenicia,
which arrived today from Hamburg and
Bremen, brought 2,038 steerage passen-
gers, the largest number of immigrants
arriving by one steamer in many years.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Purgative Tablets. At
truggles to get the money if it fails to
cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each
box. 25c.Elegant bed room sets, or
cheap ones, whichever you
want, at Marston & Finch's.

Pistachio Cream Wafers—some-
thing new. Your dealer should have
them.

A THRILLING ADVENTURE.

Boating Party's Experience at Sea In a
Small Sailboat.COLUMBUS, Ga., March 31.—The
steamer J. W. Hires, which has just
reached the Columbus wharf, brings
news of a thrilling adventure of party in
a sailboat in St. George sound, near Ap-
alachicola, Fla.Saturday morning a party left Apa-
lachicola to go out to an island in the
bay, making the trip in a rather frail
sailboat. When they started back to
Apalachicola a gale arose and the small
vessel was knocked about by the waves
in a dangerous manner. The situation
was complicated by a thick fog, which
caused them to lose the regular channel.
The boat came very near colliding with
a steamer. Unknown to those on board,
it was going toward the shore, and
would have been dashed against it had
it not run aground on a sandbar in the
sound. The party stayed on the bar
nearly half a day before help came. It
was a terrible night, as the party feared
being swept out to the gulf.

PETTUS' BITING SARCASTIC.

He Makes a Humorous Address In Sen-
ate on Oratory.WASHINGTON, March 31.—The sena-
tion of the day at the capitol was the
speech of Senator Pettus of Alabama, in
which he poured upon the head of the
youthful Republican orator, Mr. Bever-
idge of Indiana, the vials of his wit and
sarcasm. In the course of a general
speech on the Philippines General Pet-
tus delivered a dissertation upon the
qualities of orators in general, and the
young Indian in particular, which was
the most humorous thing the senate has
known in many years.Not only the biting sarcasm of the
aged Alabama's words, but the whole
manner of delivery combined to make
the lecture read by the old man to the
young one perhaps the most famous of
its kind the walls of the senate chamber
have ever echoed.

SIGNOR COLBONI RESIGNS.

Other Officials of the Italian Presi-
dency Also Retire.ROME, March 31.—Signor Alberti, pres-
ident of the house, took the chair at the
opening of the chamber of deputies to-
day and announced that Signor Colboni
had resigned the presidency and that the
other officials attached to the presidency
had also resigned.After a speech delivered by Signor
Giolitti, the former premier, who urged
conciliation, the chamber adopted a mo-
tion submitted by the premier, General
Pelloni, making the election of a presi-
dent of the house the first business of
Monday's session. The sitting today
was calm, though the Socialists were ex-
ultant at the resignation of Signor Col-
boni.

Charter Applied For.

ATLANTA, March 31.—A charter has
been applied for at the office of the sec-
retary of state for the Atlanta, Stone
Mountain and Dahlonega railroad, a line
which the incorporators of the company
propose to run from this city to Stone
Mountain, passing by the granite quar-
ries at Lithonia and running thence
through the gold country of the state,
terminating at Dahlonega. The object
of the company is to open up to rapid
transportation a section rich in granite
and gold, and which is isolated to a
great extent at the present time."Prevention is the best medicine."
You can prevent sickness and cure
that tired feeling and all blood
humors by taking Hood's Sarsapa-
rilla.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The weekly
bank statement shows the following
changes: Surplus reserve, increased, \$4,-
108,850; loans, increased, \$3,280,000; spe-
cial deposits, \$3,028,000; legal tenders,
increased, \$2,015,000; deposits, increased,
\$7,700,200; circulation, increased, \$875,-
900. The banks now hold \$9,826,150 in
excess of the requirements of the 25 per
cent rule.

White Defends Pension Laws.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 31.—State
Auditor Walter S. White, in reply to
some criticisms in the state press of the
workings of the late pension law enacted
by the last legislature, claims the credit
of having the law enacted by the legis-
lature, and that it was done by a uni-
mous vote in both houses of the general
assembly.When Your Joints are Stiff and your
muscles sore from a cold or rheumatism,